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SIXTEEN HORSES SMOTHERED.

Firemen Unable to Penetrate a Blaze i Front of a Stable Until Too Late.

Fire was discovered in the cellar of the two-story frame building, 308 East Fifty. sixth street, at 4.25 a. M. to-day. The first floor was occupied as a blacksmith shop by James Dowd, and in the rear of the shop was a livery stable in which sixteen horses were stabled. The fire in front of the building made it

The fire in front of the building made it impossible for the firemen to get at the imprisoned animals. The blaze was got under control in less than an hour, but when the firemen entered the stable it was found that all the horses had been smothered.

The owners of the horses were: H. Schoepp, 2: Mr. Hirsch, 3: Mr. Fisher, 1: Mr. Hurtman, 1; Mr. Lang, 1: Mr. Heidelbeck, 1: Mr. Keuber, 1: J. T. Rothschild, 3: Mr. Herrman, 1, Giesek & Co., 1, and Mr. Stern, 1.

Stern, 1.

The fire was discovered by Emil Maschi, the watchman, who was aroused from a doze, which he admits he fell into, by the smoke. He managed to escape just in time.

The second floor of the building was occupied by Henry Schepper. His furniture was damaged slightly, as was the blacksmith shop. The building is leased by James Dowd and it will cost \$500 to repair it.

ENGINEER FULLER'S WAR.

Inquiring Into His Charges Against the

The committee appointed by Gen. Dumont, Supervising Inspector of Steam Vessels, to investigate the charges against the local inspectors in this city, arrived from Washington this morning. It is composed of Americus Worden, of Cincinnati; W. D. Robinson, of Buffalo, and Matthew O'Brien, of New Or-

of Buffalo, and Matthew O'Brien, of New Orleans.

The charges against Inspectors Marsland and Fairchild are that they license unqualified persons who have a pull. They are preferred by Aspinwall Fuller, President of the National Marine Engineers' Beneficial Association, and George W. Deese, counsel for the American Board of Steam Pilots.

The Inspector revoked Fuller's license while he was enginger of the steam yacht Stranger at Bar Harbor last summer. He got the license back, and has been making war on the inspectors ever since.

Inspector Worden was elected Chairman of the committee. As soon as it looks over the

the committee. As soon as it looks over the ground it will decide whether to have private or public hearings.

BLAMES A BOSTON PRINTER.

Wory Little Money Obtained by the Manhat

tan Life Check Forgeries.

A story was published this morning to the effect that a number of forged checks for large amounts purporting to be signed by the President of the Manhattan Life Insurance Company had come into the New York Clearing-House from various parts of the country, and that the perpetrator of the forgeries, an agent of the company, had made his escape. Vice-President Halsey, of the Manlattan Life, said to-day that only two forged checks had yet been discovered. One came from a Boston bank and the other from a bank in Springfield, Mass. Each was for \$950, and was indorsed for collection. The arrest of the forger is expected soon.

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On the Boston check the forger got only \$10. Where the second check was negotiated is not yet known.

Vice-President Halsey thinks that very little money could have been raised on either check, so the loss will be small, and adds that the whole affair was very clumsily managed. He blames a Boston printer, who carelessly let a stranger have the printed checks for the company.

Laura Dennis Claimed by Her Father. Miss Laura Dennis, the pretty young woman who ran away from her parents in Chicago and came to

has city to be an actress, and who was arrested at the Grand Central Depot, was arraigned before Justice White at Jefferson Market this morning. Her father was present and the young woman was discharged. The father took charge of her.

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Arlon Preparing for an Anniversary. Under the direction of Mr. Habelman, the regu-lar stage manager of the Metropolitan Opera-House, the Arion Society will present, on Tuesday, Feb. 21, the night of the masquerade ball and carreo. 21, the night of the masquerade ball and carnival, a gorgeous display of novel features, commemorative of the twenty-fifth recurrence of the carnival. The cattire back of the stage will represents a front view of the new Arion clue-house. In front will be three broad terraces, the top one showing the abode of the gods, the middle one liades, and the lowest one the earth, while the stage will be arranged for a grand ballet with 100 dancers. Two orchestras will furnish the dance and promenade music, and four committees in coatumes of 200 years ago will perform a mintary drill.

The Seventh's Minstrel Show. The minstrel performance to be given by Com-pany F. Seventh Regiment, next Saturday evenpany F, Seventh Regiment, next Saturday evening, Feb. 11, at Chickering Hall, promiacs to be
one of the events of the amateur theatrical season.
More than eleven hundred seats have already been
soid for the performance, and fifteen different theaire parties are aiready reported. Forty-three
members of Company F will interpret the programme, the list including such well-known amateurs as G. A. Homans, Gus Jessup, C. L. Burnham, E. P. Sperry and E. M. Semple. The costumes for the exhibition drill were especially made
for the occasion, and are said to be very gorgeous
and to have cost in the neighborhood of \$1,000.

Banquet of the Cercle Francals. The large hall of the Hotel Brunswick will b

occupied by the Cercic, Français de l'Harmonie for its annual cinb banquet on Saturday evening, Fei, R. The adjoining fooms will be elegantly decorated, and in the banquet ball will be stationed an orchestra of sixty pieces. The list of guests is a large one, including, besides the French Consul General, prominent French merchants, the Mayor, toverar of the State, judges and other officials. For more than twonly years the Cercie Français de Pharmonie has thue entertained, and its amout banquet has always preceded the grand annual masquerade tall by just a week. The latter event will take place this year in the Metropolitan Opera-House in Monday, Feb. Vi. occupied by the Cercic, Franciis de l'Harmonie for

They Want Co-Operation. convention of delegates from the building trades' unions of New York, Brooklyn and Hudson County, N. J., will be held in Clarendon Hall next Wednesday night for the purpose of bringing about co-operation with the bricklayers' unions of this city. It is likely that a plan or agreement will be drawn up and a committee appointed to submit it submit it to the bricklayers' societies. Watcher the latter will accept it or not is a matter of doubt. The bricklayers have an agreement with their bosses which has prevented any affiliation with the unions of other trades in the building one.

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> 2,299 claims, amounting to \$156,644.05, were paid during the year for non-fatal injuries, such as cuts, contusions, broken bones, sprains, dislocations, &c., received while walking, riding, or when engaged in the ordinary pursuit of business or pleasure.

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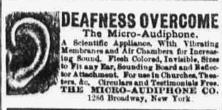
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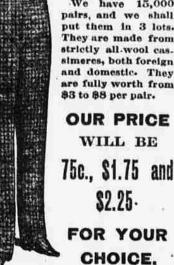


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